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The Honorable Frank Pace, Jr. Director of the Bureau of the Budget Bureau of the Budget Washington 25, D. C.

Dear Mr. Pace:

Section 2 of the Central Intelligence Agency Ast of 1949 (Public Law 110, Slat Congress) provides for a seal of office for the Central Intelligence Agency of such design as the President shall approve.

In accordance with this Section, this Agency requested that such a seal be prepared in approved form by the Heraldic Branch of the Office of the Quartermaster General of the Department of the Army.

Order setting forth the description and interpretation of the seal, together with the necessary painting and drawing, all of which have been prepared for us by the Heraldic Branch. It is necessary that this description and interpretation be approved by the President in accordance with Section 2 of the Central Intelligence Agency Act in order that judicial notice may be taken of this seal and in order that we may use it for all official purposes.

## Sincerely,

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Enclosures: 3

1. Proposed Executive Order

2. Painting of proposed CIA seal.

3. Drawing 626, Department of the Army, OQMG (2 copies).

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